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Bob Odom, Commissioner



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## Meeting the challenges of Agriculture and Forestry with Commissioner Bob Odom

Louisiana's crawfish industry hasn't received one penny in duties that should have been collected to stop Chinese crawfish from wrecking the domestic industry, Commissioner of Agriculture and Forestry Bob Odom said recently.

As federal bureaucrats delay, the mauling of Louisiana's domestic crawfish industry continues, the result of large loopholes in federal trade law.

"With a huge domestic crop forecast for early spring in Louisiana, our crawfish industry is facing ruin if we don't get some relief from the flood of \$2.50-a-pound crawfish from China," Odom said.

Louisiana's battle against Chinese crawfish began in the early 1990s when the Chinese started flooding U.S. markets with their product. The Louisiana industry filed an antidumping petition with the U.S. International Trade Commission and the U.S. Department of Commerce. An antidumping tariff was announced in September 1997 and collecting deposits began. For several years the threat of eventual collection of the tariff worked. It kept the price of imports around \$5.50 per pound roughly allowing the domestic crawfish industry to compete with the Chinese.

Abuses of the tariff began with the New Shipper Review process, a part of the World Trade Organization Agreement to which the U.S. agreed during the first Bush administration.

"What we have going on is a classic case of shrewd importers and their lawyers moving much faster than the snail's pace of the federal bureaucracy. They are using the New Shipper loophole to beat the protections built into the U.S. antidumping tariffs," Odom said.

Explaining the New Shipper process in its simplest form, Odom said a new company is established in China as a crawfish exporter and asks for a New Shipper Review. The Commerce Department must initiate the review if the request is filed in proper form.

As soon as Commerce initiates the review, the new company is entitled to post a \$50,000 continuous entry bond for its crawfish imports, instead of a cash deposit, until the review is completed. The new exporter, or shipper, then clears a single shipment through U.S. Customs at an inflated price, maybe around \$6 per pound, Odom explained. Based on this single sale, the shipper gets a deposit rate of zero in its New Shipper Review. "Until Commerce finishes another review of that shipper, which usually is a year or two later, the shipper can sell as much as he likes, at any price he likes, without posting a cash deposit with Customs," he continued. "If the shipper sells at dumped prices during this period, it will eventually be subject to a hefty retroactive duty assessment, but it appears that many shippers intend to simply disappear when the bill comes due."

Odom said the shipper could also delay the day of reckoning an additional year or two by challenging the results of the second review in court.

Another possible scenario undercutting the Louisiana industry is the ability of the new shipper to import millions of dollars in crawfish on an initial \$50,000 continuous bond deposit. If the shipper is ultimately declared to owe duties, he will forfeit the \$50,000 deposit while making millions of dollars in profits from \$2.50 per pound crawfish.

"This hasn't happened yet because bills still haven't been sent to the importers, but it's another possibility when the federal government tries to collect the duties," Odom said. "To the importer the \$50,000 deposit is a modest cost of doing business. He forfeits the money, yet has netted millions of dollars from Chinese crawfish sales," Odom said.

"While the review and appeal process grinds on interminably, the industry is being crushed by a system incapable of responding with any effectiveness or efficiency," Odom said.



United States Department of Agriculture Secretary Ann Veneman, second from left, and Louisiana Commissioner of Agriculture & Forestry Bob Odom, second from right, examine the latest research into rice strains at the LSU AgCenter's rice research station in Crowley. Researcher Dr. Tim Crougham shows work being done to produce new high-yielding rice varieties and to eliminate diseases such as red rice. U.S. Representative Christ John, right, and AgCenter Vice Chancellor Bill Brown, back, joined the group for the presentation.



Lafourche Parish 4-H'er Shawn Zeringue demonstrated a championship attitude Friday (Feb. 15) when he won Reserve Grand Champion honors with this market steer at the 2002 LSU AgCenter Livestock Show and Rodeo. Zeringue, 15, showed the steer, which originally was given as a gift to his older brother who was killed in an automobile accident last spring, and says he just wanted to bring the trophy home for his brother.





**ApHC yearlings**, 2 Leopard colts, 1 dk. bay blanketed filly, beautiful head & neck, trained at halter, \$700/1-up. Mike Montgomery, Raceland, 70394; (985) 532-6554.

**'96 AQHA** sorrel mare, performance & halter bred, Top Moon, All the Extras, Fairbars bred, \$1500. Janie Parker, Colfax, 71417; (318) 627-3759.

**'00 AQHA** chestnut filly by Somekindadash, out of Nicks Pep Charge, LQHBA breeders Futurity, pd., very gentle, \$4500. Richard LeBlanc, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 754-7291.

**AQHA sorrel** gelding, 7 yrs., no bad habits, very gentle, Impressive bloodlines, \$2000. R. Revere, Loranger, 70446; (985) 796-0127.

**'95 AQHA** blk. mare, super gentle, trail horse, anyone can ride, loads sweet & great temperament, \$3000. Lynn Schwomb, Robert, 70455; (985) 542-1681.

**AMHA Min.** exposed mares, Pinto to blk./wht. stallion, \$1550; other to wht. stallion, \$1400; Appy background filly, \$900. Armand Scurria, Chalmette, 70043; (504) 277-2544.

**'01 APHA** Chestnut/Tobiano colt, possible homozygous, built to take 1st place every time shown, \$1500. Perry Thomassie, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 644-5381 or (225) 644-4238.

**½ Arabian**, ½ TW gelding, used for trail rides, 11 yrs., \$1000; QH gelding, needs exp. rider, trail rides, \$1000. Dale Blanchard, Pierre Part, 70339; (985) 252-6755 after 4:00 PM.

**AQHA PHBA** yearling colt, well bred, \$5000; AQHA Black Pleasure geld., 6 yrs., sire, Speak of Me, \$6500. David Grass, Folsom, 70457; (985) 796-3522.

**Reg. MFT** Black & White stud colt, \$2000. Raymond Gunnels, Lettsworth, 70753; (225) 492-2772.

**Reg. App.** geld., good conf., cutting & team roping experience, good Western Pleasure prospect, \$2500. Kenny Higginbotham, Broussard, 70518; (337) 837-1723.

**Bay mare**, 6½ yrs., finished head or heel roping horse, \$1800. David Ortego, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-2229.

**TWHBEA**, SSHBEA, NSSHA, filly, 10 mos., blk./wht., \$2500. Lois Rodrigue, Vacherie, 70090; (985) 783-7217 or (504) 628-0372.

**Reg. Arabian** Gray stallion, proven, great bloodline, \$1500. Henderson Tyndall, Leesville, 71446; (337) 537-7777.

**Beautiful**, Tall, Golden Palomino gelding, 7 yrs., exp. rider, \$1400. Wes Watkins, Alexandria, 71302; (318) 445-3705.

**Grade QH** filly, 2 yrs., bred to QH, \$600; ½ QH, ½ Welch filly, 20 mos., halter broke, \$600; Reg. APHA geld., \$800. Ben Baggett, Mittie, 70654; (337) 639-2086.

**'93 AQHA** sorrel mare, Doc O'Lena, Gay Bar King & Skipper W on papers, \$1500; '97 Line-back APHA Dun mare, \$1500. Dawn Davis, Clinton, 70722; (225) 683-8682.

**'00 Sorrel** colt, barrel or racing prospect, broke to saddle, Dash for Cash, Bediuno & La Jolla bred,

\$2900. Dana Galliano, Covington, 70435; (985) 893-1251.

**3 TB mares**, 2 in foal to stakes winning & stakes producing TB stallion, \$1000/ea. Cynthia Hutton, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-9715.

**AQHA Proven** son of Special Effort fillies & colts, 1-3 yrs., out of Blondy's Dude mares, \$750/1-up. Butch Martin, Braithwaite, 70040; (504) 682-2467 or (504) 663-3448.

**'01 Chestnut** filly, gentle, well built, all shots, Two Eyed Jack, Doc Bar, Pudden Head bred, \$750. Janie Parker, Colfax, 71417; (318) 627-3759.

**'00 AQHA** Incentive Fund geld., athletic, Shining Skippe x Shining Spark, dam is daughter of Royal Silver King, \$2000. Ronnie Borer, St. Landry, 71367; (318) 838-9902.

**'01 AQHA** Foundation bred chestnut filly, sire, Colonel Poco Bailey, dam, Bar Sue, \$800. Charles Casanova, Holden, 70744; (225) 294-2585.

**Beautiful**, Reg. Leopard mare, blk./wht., 4½ yrs., green broke, very gentle, \$3000; Snowcap filly, 9 mos., not Reg., \$700. Jackie Hernandez, Church Point, 70525; (337) 684-6958.

**QH Palomino** mare, 32 mos., gentle, leads easy, saddled but not ridden, \$1200 or trade for gaited mare, Buddy Kees, Coushatta, 71019; (318) 932-5637 or 932-4109.

**'95 Thoroughbred** geld., son of Bag, excel. conf., calm disp., \$1500. Webster LeBlanc, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-7182.

**'01 APHA** colts, 1 bay/wht., 1 buckskin/wht., Joechief Bar, Sky Bug Bingo, Peppy Spook bred, \$1000/ea. Douglas Madden, Saline, 71070; (318) 576-3570.

**Reg. AMHR** stallion, 2 yrs., lt. brown with Palomino mane & tail, microchipped, \$900. Toni Olivier, Lake Charles, 70611; (337) 855-9618.

**'00 AQHA** yearling mare, Conclusive/Pudden Head breeding, 4-H Halter Champion, \$2500. K. Ortego, Ville Platte, 70586; (318) 838-2250.

**'01 AQHA** stud colt, sorrel with wht. blaze, 4 wht. stockings, halter broke & leading, sire & dam on premises, \$1250. Deborah Parsons, Maurice, 70555; (337) 893-0611.

**Reg. Arabians**, good riding horses, mare, 5 yrs., \$1500; mare, 4 yrs., \$1000; mare, 14 yrs., \$1500; mare, 18 yrs., \$1000. Donna Perilloux, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-6062.

**'90 AQHA** sorrel mare, daughter of Goin Special & Sheza My Rose, Shesa Special Rose, sound & open, \$25,000. Linda Scaife, Many, 71449; (318) 256-3548.

**Reg. Tennessee** Walkers, gentle, had raised, weanlings, yearlings, brood mares, geldings, lots of colors, \$1200/1-up. L. Spears, Dry Creek, 70637; (337) 328-7365.

**'93 Reg. Arabian** bay geld., prof. trained in cutting & speed events, beautiful, excel. bloodlines, \$3500. Lisa Topham, Patterson, 70392; (985) 399-6879.

**'99 Gorgeous** bay stallion, 90% foundation, Doc Bar bred, extraor-

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dinary disp. & conf., asset to any breeding program, \$2500. Jane West, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-4151.

**'01 AQHA** colts, Zan Diamond Joker by Hot Express mare, grandson of Haidas Little Pep & Poco Stripe dun filly, \$1000/1-up. R. Ortego, Ville Platte, 70586; (318) 838-2250.

**'01 APHA** Homozygous filly sorrel/wht., very gentle, halter broke, flashy, \$1800. Mitzi Thomassie, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 644-4238 or (225) 644-5381.

**'96 AQHA** mare, 15 hands, Ima Cool Skip, Investor bred, 90 days prof. training, multiple Buckle winner, \$4000. Connie White, Denham Springs, 70726; (225) 667-0767.

**Wanted:** Jenny, 3 yrs. old or younger. James Delrie, Cloutierville, 71416; (318) 379-2272.

## STALLION SERVICE

**Homozygous** APHA blk./wht. stallion, '98 MS Grand Champion in halter, guaranteed Paint, good conf., \$250/\$5 day mare care. Perry Thomassie, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 644-5381.

**Reg. Alppaloosa**, red & white Leopard, own son of Skip Go Grand, out of daughter of Illusion, \$200/\$3 day mare care, Danial Gaspard, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-8780.

**'98 AQHA** sorrel, Eatin Out, Doc's Hickory, Bob Acre Doc, Poco Josie Bueno, in training Rusty Carrol, \$450. Joe Reed, Westlake, 70669; (337) 491-0922.

**'98 Bay Grand** Champion Open Halter, absolutely gorgeous, 1350 lbs., Cool Skip & Impressive bred, live foal guarantee \$650. Veronica Songe, Raceland, 70394; (985) 537-0850.

**'97 AQHA** black stallion, Ima Cool Skip & Boston Mac bred, approved for AQHA serv., Hypp N/ N, \$300/\$5 day mare care, Randy Causey, Walker, 70785; (225) 791-9471.

**'86 AQHA** Buckskin, Hollywood, Poco King & Bonanza bloodlines, super disp., \$200. Carl Chiasson, Scott, 70583; (337) 896-4576.

**Homozygous** MFT/SSH black & white stallion, \$300/free mare care. Raymond Gunnells, Lettsworth, 70753; (225) 492-2772.

**TWHBEA**, SSHBEA, NSSHA, RHBEA, 16 hands, blk./wht. Tobiano stallion, \$250/\$5 day mare care. Lois Rodrigue, Vacherie, 70090; (985) 783-7217 or (504) 628-0372.

**Poco Bueno** 25%, 5 yr. dun, 15.1 hands, heading & USTRA, beautiful head, great disp., \$400/\$6 day mare care. Kathy Simoneaux, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-1880.

**Reg. Arabian** gray stallion, gentle, proven producer, great babies, guaranteed, \$300. Henderson Tyndall, Leesville, 71446; (337) 537-7777.

**Reg. TWH** black/white Tobiano, 15 hands, Merry Go Boy bloodlines, gentle disp., \$150/\$4 day mare care. Alan Byrd, Oakdale, 71463; (318) 335-1144.

**'95 APHA** blk./wht. Tob. Overo, prof. trained in Western Pl., outstanding disp., \$250/\$2 day mare care. Brandi Damore, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-4151.

**Reg. TWH/SSH/NSH** black/white Tobiano, producing lots of color, gentle disp., \$150/\$4 day mare care. Ken Myers, Oakdale, 71463; (318) 335-2233.

**Homozygous** APHA blk. & wht. stallion, Skip N King, guaranteed Paint, \$350/Reg. mares, \$250/Grade mare. Beverly Bertrand, Branch, 70516; (337) 684-3028.

**AQHA Blue** Gray Poco Bueno King bred stud, \$400; Bay Roan Hancock Driftwood bred stallion, \$400. Alan Dayton, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-6962.

**Double Reg.** Racking blk./wht. Paint, Pb Am. Saddle Palomino & Wht., \$150 each/\$3 day mare care. Dillon Bordelon, Plaucheville, 71362; (318) 922-3601.

**AQHA Palomino**, Doc Bar, Peppy San, Puddenhead, Barpass Myers, King P-234, \$350/\$3 day mare care. Earlin Gauthreaux, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-8457.

**'98 Palomino** stallion, Doc Bar bred, 16 hands, 90% foundation, exceptional disp. & conf., \$300/\$2 day mare care. Jane Vidal, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-4151.

**AQHA Palomino**, prof. trained cutting, Doc O'Lena, Smart Lil Lena, Col. Freckles, throws 75% color, very gentle, \$400/\$1 day mare care. Robert Granger, 70764; (225) 687-9430.

**Cremello APHA** QH, siring Buckskins & Palomino foals from bay & chestnut mares, Dash for Cash, Zan Parr Bar, Skipper W, \$400. L. Lyon, Welsh, 70591; (337) 753-2590.

**Homozygous** APHA Blue Roan, 16.2 hands, Joechief Bar, Texas Dancer, Powder Charge bred, \$350 plus mare care. Douglas Madden, Saline, 71070; (318) 576-3570.

**APHA Palomino** Homozygous Tobiano, very athletic, Silky McTavish bloodlines, \$400/\$4 day mare care. E. O'Quinn, Iowa, 70647; (337) 588-4948.

**AQHA Sorrel**, son of World Champion Zip Is It & Zan Par Barr, also have APHA Red Roan Overo, both \$200/\$5 day mare care. Gene White, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 747-8925.

**Gorgeous Foundation** bred Sorrel, own grandson of Blondy's Dude, \$300/\$2 day mare care. Mike Vidal, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-4151.

**'97 AQHA** Dark Bay, Peppy San Badger, Miss Santana Doc, Puddens Baby, trained heading, heeling & calf roping, \$300. Tyler Reed, Westlake, 70669; (337) 491-0922.

**Reg. TWH** Gray Roan, grandson of The Pusher C.G. & Coin's Hard Cash, \$300/\$4 day mare care. Jessica Byrd, Oakdale, 71463; (318) 335-1144.

**Smart Zan** Lena, own son of Smart Little Lena, out of Sparkle Suzanna, AQHA 3x World Champ., \$750/\$6 day mare care. Kevin Simoneaux, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-1880.

**Reg. TW** Tobiano blk./wht.

Paint, good conf. & disp., Rock N Roll, Star bloodlines, \$200/\$4 day mare care. Paul Broussard, Broussard, 70518; (337) 837-1368.

**Black & White** Appaloosa Cooterville Echohawk, Geronimo, Wapiti, Mansfield Comanche,

## SHEEP & GOATS

**100% Katahdin** blood, rams & ewes, also some mixed with Doppers, \$50-\$75/ea. Russell Girard, Scott, 70583; (337) 873-4418.

**100% Boer** billy, \$350; Boer does, \$75/1-up; kids, male, \$50/1-up; does & nannies, some bred, all papered, \$100/1-up. Anthony Mumphrey, Eunice, 70535; (337) 550-0826.

**Pb Nigerian** Dwarf kids, small, flashy & colorful, wonderful pets, males, \$50/ea.; females, \$100/ea. 1 adult doe, \$100. Debby Sharbaugh, Ethel, 70730; (225) 937-0540.

**Beautiful Black** male brush goat, nice horn set, great shape, proven stud, changing males, \$100. Donald Godeaux, Church Point, 70525; (337) 684-5038.

**Young 100%** male Boers, \$100/1-up; young wethers, \$60/1-up. Glenn Gotreaux, Iowa, 70647; (337) 582-7363.

**2 Jacob** lambs, 1 ram & 1 black & white ewe, \$100/ea. Fred Jacobs, Bush, 70431; (985) 892-0914.

**Percentage Boer** male goats, healthy, vaccinated & wormed, \$35-\$75/1. R. LaBorde, Hessmer, 71341; (318) 563-4566.

**Reg. Suffolk** ram, \$400. Dale Melancon, Breaux Bridge, 70517; (337) 228-2640.

**Katahdin ram**, 4 yrs. old, \$65. James Reed, Iota, 70543; (337) 779-2473.

**Reg. Boer** goats, 1/2, to 7/8, nannies with babies, some bred by 100% billy, 75% Black headed billy, \$140/1-up. Reginald Robertson, Pineville, 71360; (318) 443-1211.

**Boer billies**, 100% and 94%, ¾ Boer nannies with papers, \$100/1-up. Norris Deville, Plaquemine, 70764; (225) 659-7000.

**Wanted:** 10-20 Barbado ewes and 1 unrelated mature ram. B. Fremming, Bernice, 71222; (318) 368-9018 evenings only.

## LIVESTOCK DOGS

Only trained farm stockdogs or offspring from trained stockdogs are eligible to be advertised. Include dog's breeding and special training or ability that qualifies it as a stockdog. A signed statement must accompany each notice indicating these facts, before the ad can be published.

**Reg. Black & White** Border Col-lie puppies, working parents on premises, born Jan. 21st, shots & wormed, \$150/ea. Louis Marks, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 754-5960.

**Great Pyreneese**, from working stock, bonded with goats, good with children, female, 8 mos., \$200; male, 14 mos., \$150. Marilyn Pender, Colfax, 71417; (318) 627-3086.

## FARMRAISED DEER

**Fallow deer**, does, \$200/ea.; Sika does, \$200/ea. Roland Pesson, Lake Charles, 70607; (337) 477-1283 weekdays or (337) 725-4998.



FARMLAND

Must offer ten (10) or more adjoining acres of land located in Louisiana. Farmland ads **MUST** include accompaniments (house, barn, hay field, garden, and what the land is best suited for). Proof of ownership may be required. All ads **MUST** be accompanied by the following owner-signed statement: "This property is personally owned by me and is not offered for sale by a licensed real estate dealer, broker or salesman."

**St. Mary Parish**, 13 acres, 18'x 80' mobile home, 40'x 100' barn, fenced pasture, 60 hp tractor with implements, \$150,000. Liz Hatch, Patterson, 70392; (985) 399-0010.

**Rapides Parish**, 130 acre Catfish farm, 80 water acres, shop & equipment sheds, deep water wells, hatchery, \$260,000. Perry Moses, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-9188.

**Terrebonne Parish**, 850 acre ranch, large brick home, 4 BR, 3 Bath, 2 barns, hundreds of acres for development, can run 500 cattle & make hay. Robert Neil, Houma, 70361; (985) 594-5851.

LLAMAS

**2 White** male llamas, 14 mos., \$800 or will trade for females, or 8-10 cattle feeders with metal tops. S. Gordon, Goldonna, 71031; (318) 357-0616.

DOMESTICATED BIRDS & EQUIPMENT

Advertisements will not be accepted from retail shops and/or their owners.

**Female Ledbetter** Cockatoo, \$5000; Moluccan Cockatoo, \$1800/pr.; Green Wing Macaw, \$800; African Grey Parrot, \$800, all breeding age. Michael Baer, Baton Rouge, 70804; (225) 753-6111.

**50 Diamond** doves, Brilliants & Silvers, \$750; Yellows, \$325. Jack Couto, Destrehan, 70047; (985) 764-8729 after 7 p.m.

**Indian Ringnecks**, many mutations, prs. & singles, \$50/1-up or will consider swapping for Finches, Parrotlets & Canaries. Terry Perez, Cut Off, 70345; (985) 632-5016.

**Canaries**, \$20/1-up. Ronald Gaillard, New Orleans, 70127; (504) 246-7845.

**Dbl. Yellowheads**, talking, \$575/ea.; Conures, Blue Crown, \$325; Nandy, \$150; male breeder Timneh, \$400. Sonya Langley, Independence, 70443; (985) 878-7223.

**2 Pairs Umbrella** Cockatoos, proven but not by me, \$15/pr. or trade for B&G Macaws. Charles Legaux, Edgard, 70049; (985) 497-3264.

**Congo African** Grey, 4 yrs., with large cage, good bird, \$700. Danny Mayeaux, Denham Springs, 70726; (225) 664-7777.

**Society Finches**, \$5/ea.; Breeder lovebirds, \$40/pr.; Congo Grey male, \$600. Gloria Monks, Lake Charles, 70611; (337) 855-6000.

**Cockatiels**, show quality & Normals, most mutations available including Emeralds & Silvers, \$25/1-up. Don Saucier, Destrehan, 70047; (985) 764-7095.

**Indian Ringneck** Parakeets, Violet, Dk. Green/Blue, Turquoise, Grey, Lacewings, Greens split to mutations & mature birds, \$150-\$5000/ea. Kent Benton, Livingston, 70754; (225) 686-0248.

**2 Parakeets**, large White House cage included, \$100. Arlene McPherson, Mandeville, 70448; (985) 6764-0703 after 7 PM, leave message.

**Red Rump** Parakeets, \$80/pr. if more than 1 purchased; Zebra Finches, \$5/ea.; Silver White Rump Diamond Doves, \$80/pr. Wes McVay, Gretna, 70056; (504) 392-5312.

**Ringneck Doves**, Normals, \$5/ea. or \$15/pr.; Thomas Rowell, Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-5729.

**Double Yellowheads**, breeder pair, \$1250/pr. or trade. Dickie Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240.

**Doves**, Ringneck, \$5/1; Pied, \$6/1; White & Tangerine, \$7/1; Proven pairs, \$20/1-up. Joseph Bernard, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-8619.

**Gouldian Finches**, \$115/pr.; Society Finches, \$5/ea. or \$20/pr. Danny Chauvin, Houma, 70364; (985) 876-7966.

**Lovebird nest** boxes, large, well built, made with 3/8" plywood, 4 at \$10/ea. Robert D'Aquin, Metairie, 70055; (504) 833-3566.

**8 Prs. Congo** Greys, 20 prs. Suns, Blue Fonts, Quakers, Vos., Electus & others, proven, bonded & singles, \$225-\$1400. Ruth Guidry, Maurice, 70555; (337) 898-9461.

**Tame Cockatiels**, closed bonded, Hf Grays, Lutino Albinos, Cinn., Pearls, Whitefaced, \$35/1-up; breeder age, \$25/1-up. Samantha Ivy, Morgan City, 70380; (985) 631-3498.

**Sulphur Crested** Cockatoo, hand tame and talks, \$500; with cage, \$800. Fred Jacobs, Bush, 70431; (985) 892-0914.

**Babies**, Hf Congo African Grays, weaned, \$850/ea.; Bare Eyed Cockatoo pr., \$1200; Cockatiels, \$25/1-up. Loretta Perez, Cut Off, 70345; (985) 632-5016.

PIGEONS

**Modena Black**, White & other colors, \$5/1 or \$10/pr. Leo Augustine, Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-7299.

**Komorner** Tumblers, Birmingham Rollers, Fantails, West of England Tumblers, many colors, \$5/ea. Brian Bigler, Mandeville, 70471; (985) 809-0918.

**King Pigeons** in 5 colors, \$10/pr. Richard Millikin, Oak Grove, 71263; (318) 428-2604.

POULTRY, GAME, FOWL & EGGS

**White Leghorns** and others, \$5/1. Lance Nelson, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 622-6589.

**Guineas**, sexed prs. or trios, '01 hatch, Pearl & Pearl/White mixed, \$20/pr.; \$25/trio. Lester Markham, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-3925.

**Large male** ducks, 2 Peking, 1 Rouen, 1 Harlequin & 2 Black Sweedish, \$7/1; guineas, \$3-\$7/1. Kathy Matte, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-7130.

**Snowy Call** ducks, \$24/pr.; Muscovy breeders, \$4/ea.; Doves, Wht. & Ringnecks, \$5/1; White Afthan Pheasant, \$25/pr. Mary Terrell, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-3225.

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**Buff Orphington** chicks, and older, 75¢/1-up; eggs, 80¢/doz. Dustin Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240.

**Super large** Pharaoh & Manchurian Golden quail hatching eggs, \$25/100; live birds, 75¢/1-up. G. Chauvin, Schriever, 70395; (985) 448-3360.

**Turkeys**, toms & hens, \$20/ea. Joe Giacone, Hammond, 70401; (985) 345-5049.

**Egyptian** Geese breeders, \$65/pr.; '01 hatch, \$50/pr. Richard Millikin, Oak Grove, 71263; (318) 428-2604.

**Large Muscovy** ducks, corn fed, male, \$7/ea.; female, \$5/ea. J. Saucier, Church Point, 70525; (337) 684-6788.

**Wanted:** G.Q.F. Incubators in working or non-working condition. Troy Benton, Lake Charles, 70607; (337) 477-0068.

**Wanted:** Black Belly Tree ducks, White Face Tree ducks, Ringneck Teal & Red Head ducks. Kit Americo, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-0024.

**Wanted:** Chickens, ducks, guineas, geese, turkeys & bantams, 50 miles from Rayne area. Wilbur Leger, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-4949.

**Wanted:** Five Deck game bird battery brooder & Quail breeding pens, 15 or 30 sections or more. Bill Jones, Leesville, 71446; (337) 238-9168.

**Wanted:** Ringneck doves, young white singles or pairs, please give quantity and prices. Thomas Rowell, Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-5729.

AQUACULTURE & EQUIPMENT

**Blue Catfish**, 25¢/1; Channel Cat, 20¢/1; Bluegill, 20¢/1; Chinquapin, 25¢/1; Black Crappie, 30¢/1; Koi, 50¢/1-up, del. avail. David Lowe, Minden, 71055; (318) 377-1525.

**Bass**, 60¢/1; Bluegill, 20¢/1; Crappie, 30¢/1; Chinquapin, 30¢/1; Catfish, 20¢/1; Hybrids, 25¢/1; Carp, \$9/1, del. avail. Frank Book, Shreveport, 71107; (318) 929-4251.

**Channel Catfish**, Fingerlings, 3" to 5", 10¢/ea. Ty Davidson, Tickfaw, 70466; (985) 345-5830.

RABBITS & EQUIPMENT

**Jersey Wolly** bunnies & breeders, \$10/1-up; Mini Lops, Netherland Dwarfs, Mini Rex, all ages, \$25/1-up. Carol Petitjean, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-9550.

**San Juans**, Netherland Dwarf, Rex, Mini Lop, Jersey Wooley & others \$5/1-up. Lester Markham, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-3925.

**117 Cages**, 34 with built in hutches, feeders, water bottles, extra hutches, \$600/all. James Miley, Natchitoches, 71457; (318) 472-8311.

**Nzw**, \$6/1. Lance Nelson, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 622-6589.

**Pedigreed** & Non-Pedigreed seedstock NZW & Mini Rexes,

\$10/1. Dextel Terrebonne, Gibson, 70356; (985) 868-2693.

**Pb San Juans** or mixed San Juan & Legoudee, excel. runners, adapts to outdoors well, \$5/1-up. Carol Kimball, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 647-0243.

**Pb San Jans**, Can Cutters, Missouri Swampers & crosses, excel. runners, \$6/1-up. Harmon Belgard, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-3531.

**NZW**, large mixed breeds, Californias & others, all sizes & colors, Easter bunnies before Easter, all \$4/1-up. Randy Taylor, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 754-5600.

**San Juans**, \$6/1-up; new wire cages with feeders, \$15/1-up. Ishreal Thibodeaux, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-7726.

SEEDS, FLOWERS & ORNAMENTALS

**Large Birdhouse** Gourd, Habañeros, Cayenne, Jalapino, Sweet Peppers, California Wonder, Sweet Banana. \$1/30 seed pkt. w/ SASE. James Robin, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 407-0188.

**Long Handle** Dipper, Birdhouse & edible Gourds, Purple Hybiscus, Texas Red Star, Scarlet "O" Morning Glory, \$1.50/pkt. w/SASE. Morris Collura, Lake Charles, 70601; (337) 478-7075.

**Azaleas**, Gardenias, YoPons, \$4.50/3 gal.; Red Top, Bridal Wreath, Ind. Hawthorn, \$3.50/3 gal.; Daylillies, \$1.50/1 gal.-up. Johnnie Fink, Franklinton, 70438; (985) 839-3250.

**'01 50 Packet** seeds, Hot Peter Peppers, \$1/ea. with SASE. Cleveland Guidry, Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-2042.

**Cast Iron** plants, \$4/gal. at my place. D. Montz, Thibodeaux, 70301; (985) 446-1805.

**Jap. Plum**, \$6/3 gal.; Wax Myrtle, \$5/3 gal.; Pomegranate, \$5/1 gal.; Palmettos, \$5/3 gal.; So. Magnolia, \$12/3 gal. James Stelly, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-4528.

**Wanted:** Old fashioned California Beer seed, please call or write. Wiley Aultman, 346 Young Rd., DeQuincy, 70633; (337) 786-6371.

HAY & GRAIN

**4' x 5' rolls**, kept under barn, deliv. avail., Bahia-Dallas mix, \$20/bale. Carroll Boudreaux, New Iberia, 70563; (337) 229-8100.

**Alicia Bahia** 4' x 5' rd. bales, horse quality, in barn, \$30/1; Cattle, mix grass, \$20/1. Brandy Cella, Bush, 70431; (985) 892-0240.

**'01 Bahia**, sq. bales, fert., weed free, cured without rain, \$2.75/1; \$3.25/bale cut short; rd. 4'x5' Bahia in barn, \$24/1. Nelson Doolittle, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-6111.

**'01 Bahia** 24" sq. bales, \$1.25/1. Dan Karl, Greensburg, 70441; (225) 222-6347.

**Bahia hay**, 4'x5', excellent quality, well fert. & cured without rain, 200 bales, \$20/bale. Isaac Nichols, Kinder, 70648; (337) 639-2140.

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**Bahia hay**, red. bale, \$12.50 - \$25/bale, deliv. avail. Wayne Ward, Saline, 71070; (318) 576-3389.

**'01 hay**, Bahia & Jiggs Bermuda, rd. bales, 4' x 6', \$20/bale Bahia or \$30/Jiggs, will deliv. Donald Crawford, Lafayette, 70506; (337) 989-9675.

**'01 Quality** Jiggs Bermuda, \$3.50/bale in barn; \$4 - \$4.50/bale deliv., not unloaded. Don Bernard, Lafayette, 70506; (337) 989-9675.

**Alicia**, fert. to test, no rain, \$3.50/bale in barn, deliv. avail., hay located in Morrow. Wilery Bordelon, Baton Rouge, 70811; (225) 355-1514.

**Bahia rd.** bales, 4' x 5', \$25/less than 10, \$15/11-25, \$12/26-50 or \$10/51 or more. Harry Carner, Leesville, 71446; (337) 239-7492.

**Bahia**, Alicia, 4' x 5' bales, \$20/1. C. Duplechain, Jennings, 70546; (337) 824-2989.

**12% protien** homemade cattle feed, \$160/ton in 50 lb. sacks, call in advance. J. Landreneau, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-6088.

**Bahia hay**, sq. bales, well fert., \$2.50/bale. Willie Lewis, Montpelier, 70422; (225) 777-4880.

**'01 Common** Bahia, sq. bales, no weeds, \$2.50/bale in barn. Ross Patin, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 280-5169 or (337) 981-8448.

**5' x 5' rolls**, Alicia Bermuda hay, excel. quality, hvy. fert., 3 rd. cutting, net wrapped, under barn, deliv. avail., \$25/1. Joseph Pieri, Folsom, 70437; (504) 628-5361.

**Bahia**, \$3/bale; Bermuda, \$4/bale; Bahia, big round bales, \$18 - \$20. Arthur Smith, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 673-3617, nights only.

**'01 rd. bales**, 5½' Rye Grass & Oats, fert., \$20/bale under barn. Pat Prather, 23250 Zeb Chaney Rd., Zachary, 70791; (225) 654-5952.

**5' x 5' fert.** Bahia & Carpet mix, cured without rain, \$18 - \$20/bale. Will Andrews, Clinton, 70722; (225) 683-8550.

**Bahia**, sq. bales, excel. quality, \$3/bale; Bahia 4' x 5' rd. bales, stored inside, \$25/1 or \$1500/150 bales stored outside. Lee Cook, Husser, 70442; (985) 748-7043.

**Bahia grass**, 5' x 5' bale, cured without rain, fert., without weeds, \$20/1 outside; \$25/1 in barn. Whitney Champagne, St. Martinville, 70582; (337) 845-4125.

**Bahia**, 5' x 5' rd. bales, \$20/1. Larry Duhon, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-2726.

**Jiggs Bermuda**, 4' x 5½' roll, fert., limed in barn, \$18/1 or \$16/1 outside. Vernon Linzay, Alexandria, 71302; (318) 445-2046.

**1200 sq. bales**, Alicia Coastal hay, well fert., horse quality, \$3/bale; 20 rolls of Alicia, well fert., \$20/roll; 20 rolls of Russell Bermuda, well fert., \$20/roll. Douglas Madden, Saline, 71070; (318) 576-3570.

**Common Bermuda**, large 4' x 5' bale, fert., cured without rain, horse quality, \$10 - \$16/bale. George Mallet, Iowa, 70647; (337) 588-4345.

**Alicia Bermuda** & Bahia mix, sq. bales, fert., cured without rain, barn kept, \$2.50/bale. Bennie Plunket, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-8000.

**4' x 5' rd.** bales, Bahia in barn, fert. to soil test, will load, cured

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without rain, \$25/1. Danny Schleismann, Husser, 70442; (985) 748-7663.

**Wheat straw**, clean, large tight sq. bales, tied w/nylon twine, \$2/bale. Tim Johnson, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-0187 or (337) 363-7570.

**Wanted:** Pinestraw 40 bales, deliv. to Baton Rouge a plus. Jeff Kuehny, Clinton, 70722; (225) 683-8585.

FERTILIZER

**Rabbit litter**, 50 lb. feed bag full, \$2/bag, loaded. Randy Taylor, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 754-5600.

**Rabbit Fert.**, 50 lb. feed bag, \$5/1. Carol Kimball, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 647-0243.

**Horse manure**, fresh to well-rotted, \$1/truck load, you load. A. Owings, Loranger, 70446; (985) 878-4180.

**Chicken house litter**, about 300 cubic yards, you load, 50¢/yard. Douglas Madden, Saline, 71070; (318) 576-3570.

**Chicken litter**, stored in barn, approx. 200 tons, \$8/ton. Larry Ponder, Saline, 71070; (318) 576-3311.

TREES & FRUITING VINES

**Mayhaw**, Superior lg. fruited varieties, native seedlings, Parsley haw, Sup./grafted Mex. Plum & seedlings, Magnolias, \$5-\$25/ea. Kent Benton, Livingston, 70754; (225) 686-0248.

**Sweet Lemon**, \$6/1; Figs, Celeste, \$5/1; Green Ishea, \$5/1; Fancy Red Cherry bush, \$5/1; Yellow Cassia & Raintrees, \$5/1-up. Morris Collura, Lake Charles, 70601; (337) 478-7075.

**Leland Cypress**, \$6.50-\$25/ea.; Savana, Marinell, Fosteri, & Neli R. Stevens Hollies, \$15-\$30/ea.; Crepe Myrtle, \$20-\$50/ea. Johnnie Fink, Franklinton, 70438; (985) 839-3250.

**Container trees**, Cypress, River Birch, Elm, Maple, 2 yrs. old, 5 gal., \$8/ea. Brad Theall, Sunset, 70584; (337) 886-1134.

**LA Bald** Cypress, \$8/4 ft.; \$23/7 ft. D. Bordelon, Ponchatoula, 70454; (985) 345-4280.

TRACTORS & EQUIPMENT

**Radiator guard & bumper** with light for Ford 2600, hvy. steel, excel. cond., \$150; radiator guard for 8N with trailer hitch ball, very good cond., \$25. Clarence Abadie, Tickfaw, 70466; (985) 419-8893.

**John Deere** tractor 2020, gasoline, shredder, \$8000; JD 2030 diesel with front end loader, shredder, \$11,500. James Boudreaux, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 942-4183.

**3 pt. tool bars**, 2' - 5', \$90/1; JD, 3 blade row maker, with tool bar, \$295. Clarence Brown, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-7902.

**856 Int.** 301 gas engine complete, \$300; 856 or 1256, 24.5 x 32 tires, wheels & rims, \$300; pasture

renovator, \$300; 489 haybine, \$1200. Owen Dubois, Colfax, 71417; (318) 627-5713.

**8N Ford**, complete overhaul, new tires, 5' bushhog, good cond., \$2900/all. Simon Duplessis, Metairie, 70006; (504) 454-1146.

**3 pt. dirt** scoop, excel. shape, \$150. Jerry Kratzer, Roanoke, 70581; (337) 753-2327.

**Set of 1 row** rolling cultivator on tool bar, like new, used on 20 ac, \$100. J. Landreneau, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-6088.

**7130 Case IH**, 4 wd Magnum, \$24,500; 18' water level, \$2200, both in good cond. Kent Lavergne, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 543-6322.

**Crawfish Harvester**, rubber tires, hyd., ps, 4 spd., \$8500; Int. Super A, redone, all tools, corn planter, \$4500; Model D on steel, \$1500. M. Miller, Eunice, 70535; (337) 457-2937.

**Gradall GR3**, 3 cyl. Detroit, 17.5 x 25 tires, \$8000; Air Deutz power unit/gen. set, 80 kw, 6 cyl. engine, \$5000. Perry Moses, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-9188.

**41' Rayne** Plane, \$8750; Reynolds 5 yd. dirt buggy, \$2950; Amco, 13' offset disc, \$5000; JD 5 bottom flip plow, \$2000. J. Oliver, New Iberia, 70560; (337) 369-7421, after 5 p.m.

**'92 Belarus** 822 c/a, 4 wheel drive, w/front end loader, \$10,000. Fred Romero, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-8657 or (337) 898-9804.

**JD 310 A** Backhoe, diesel engine, auto shuttle, Joystick control, good cond., \$11,500. Ronald Sharp, Springfield, 70462; (225) 695-3627.

**'95 Bobcat** 320 trackhoe, \$9500; Caterpillar Forklift, 10,000 lbs., \$3500; Takeuchi TB 2200 D Trackhoe, \$8500. James Sharp, Springfield, 70422; (225) 695-3341.

**'79 Versatile** 875 tractor, 4 wd, \$24,000. Dwayne Bebee, Iowa, 70647; (337) 756-2692.

**Log Splitter**, needs tires & hyd. hoses, \$200. John Boudreaux, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-6743.

**3010 JD**, 65 hp, excel. cond., new clutch, \$5850; (2) 230 gal. saddle tanks with frame, \$300. Gary Bruns, Mansfield, 71052; (318) 872-3518.

**Ford 9700** w/frontend loader, c/a, \$10,800; 4030 Sky Track Fork Lift, 30' reach, \$9500; 40 ton Lowboy trailer, \$2200; 25' gooseneck trailer, dual tandem, \$3200. B. Dauzat, Effie, 71331; (318) 253-9242 or (318) 201-2349.

**4840 JD** trac., \$15,000; 22' JD disc, 10,000, new style, 14' water leveler, \$10,000; 14' water leveler, \$1000; Levee Plow, \$2000 or \$25,000/all. Roy Faulk, Gueydan, 70542; (337) 536-6632.

**Vermeer 505** Super I, rd. baler, excel. cond., \$8700. Darrel Faust, Loranger, 70446; (985) 542-8474.

**Ford 4000** diesel tractor, 8 spd., p/s, 52 PTO, good cond., \$5900; Int. 574 diesel trac., 8 spd., p/s, 52 pto, good cond., \$5900. J. Guillot, Hessmer, 71341; (318) 563-4776.

**Fella Sm 240** disc mower, 8' cut, needs some repair, \$500. Isaac Nichols, Kinder, 70648; (337) 639-2140.

**5' Darrel Harp** plow, needs repair, \$150. Gerard Richard, Kaplan,

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70548; (337) 643-2566.

**Ford 6710** c/a diesel, 83 hp, dual power, excel. cond., \$13,900; Ford 3000 diesel trac., p/s, 8 spd., 42 PTO, excel. cond., \$4900. E. Ryan, Marks-ville, 71351; (318) 240-7388.

**3950 IH** Fold Wing disc plow, 29', \$10,500; 2800 Wilrich Field Cultivator, 42', \$11,500. Keith Taylor, Plaucheville, 71362; (318) 922-3912.

**4' Box** scraper, \$360; 5 foot. Bushhog, \$658; 5' Finish mower, \$1100; 30" scoop, \$360; 16" x 16" chopper disc, \$549. Dextelle Terrebonne, Gibson, 70356; (985) 868-2693.

**Farmall Cub**, good for parts or restoring, \$400. Felix Alfonso, Gretna, 70053; (504) 367-3217.

**'52 8 N Ford**, \$2000; '65 JD 2010, 5' bushhog, \$3000; '49 MD 60 JD 5' pull type bushhog, \$3000. Kenneth Bertrand, Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-6657.

**'79 Power King** trac. with belly mower, 3 pt. hook up, \$1700. G. Bolen, Lake Charles, 70615; (337) 439-3518.

**Kuhn 700**, 9' hay cutter, \$2500; 10 wheel hay rake on Kelderman caddy, hyd. open & close, \$1600. David Fontenot, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-4334.

**New pull** type rake, 8' elec. cyl., \$1595. Peter Palermo, Fordoche, 70732; (225) 694-2215.

**Sidewinder** ditcher, \$300; Ferguson ditcher, \$300; 6 row Lilliston rolling cultivator, \$800; JD Kilifer, \$900. Steve Rabalais, Cottonport, 71327; (318) 876-3304.

**Iseki 180**, 4 wd, 22 hp, 3 cyl., diesel tractor, 633 hours, \$5500. Dickie Sherman, Crowley, 70526; (337) 788-0240.

**Woods 208** 8' pull type pasture clipper, 3 pt. hookup, excel. shape, kept under shed, \$2100. A. Smith, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 673-3617, nights.

**Feed mixer** for parts, Int. 1150, new tires, \$500 or trade for farm equipment; Hyd. pallet lift w/3 pt. hitch for trac., \$500 or trade for farm equip. Pat Prather, Baton Rouge, 70816; (225) 234-5633.

**Farmall Super A** with 4' shredder, \$3000. A. Bordelon, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-7125.

**All 6 row**, Chattanooga Crop maker cult., \$475; Barrentine harrow, \$200; Taylorway cult. & fenders, \$450; Glenco cult., \$450. A. Bradley, Transylvania, 71286; (318) 552-6265.

**8-N Ford** 52 trac., everything works, \$2000; '96 Belaris diesel, 32 hp, 500 hrs., like new, \$4500. Donald Burley, Monterey, 71354; (318) 386-2212.

**JD 5510** cab, 75 hp loader with attachments, like new, \$32,500; JD 4430 cab, 125 hp, excel., cond, \$18,500. Ted Miller, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 662-5037.

**(2) NH 85** rd. bale movers, \$1500/ea.; Dickey 8 row folding cult. with spray fenders, \$2000. A. Burt, Benton, 71006; (318) 965-0235.

**Massey 231** with 5' bushhog, scraper box, grader blade, row builder, posthole digger, dirt scoop, tandem trailer & more, \$11,000/all. Cyril Cleland, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-5469.

**Kubota 3** cylinder, 23 hp diesel

trac. with 5' grooming mower, excel. cond., \$5200. Calvin Cormier, Scott, 70583; (337) 896-4127.

**All excel.** cond., JD 8 row cult., \$2500; 8 row lay-by rig, \$1000; Crustbuster grain drill, \$1200; 8 row hipper, \$2500. Bobby Denton, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-4504.

**Sears Graftman** Tiller, like new, \$550. Roland Fontenot, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-1442.

**JD 7'** 709 shredder, \$1100. Michael Guillot, Mansura, 71350; (318) 253-8585.

**7700 JD** Combine eng., radiator & Sunstrand Hydro transmission, \$200/all. Douglas Heard, DeRidder, 70634; (337) 462-3449.

**504-SF Vermeer** round baler, shed kept, used last season, great shape, \$2500. Jim Hebert, Youngs-ville, 70592; (337) 856-6923.

**13' Sidewinder** pasture clipper, excel. cond., new tires, \$2200. Don Kent, Fluker, 70436; (985) 748-9418 or (985) 748-7789.

**JD 4020**, excel. cond., everything works with no leaks, kept under shed, \$8000. Greg Lafleur, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-8158.

**K-M22** Dentz 2 drum cutter, good cond. with many spare parts, \$700. Malcolm Lajaunre, Marksville, 71351; (318) 253-6401.

**Case IH** Mod. 885, 60 hp, real good cond., \$9500; Mod. RM 6 bushhog 6' rotary mower, \$550. Webster LeBlanc, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-7182.

**Bearcat Steiger** trac., no eng. or radiator, has both rear ends, trans., 4 tires & wheels, \$2000. Jesse Lennon, Branch, 70516; (337) 684-7533 or (337) 684-3829.

**8N Ford** tractor, good cond., \$3500. Mike Lofton, Baton Rouge, 70818; (225) 262-6743.

**NH 9' disc** hay cutter, \$3000; antique iron wheel road grader, \$2500. Fred Lucky, Bossier, 71112; (318) 747-1873.

**AC M100** road grader for parts, \$250; 125kw generator, Cummins engine, \$5000. Douglas Madden, Saline, 71070; (318) 576-3570.

**'68 3000 Ford** gas trac., complete, for salvage, \$1250. D. McManus, West Monroe, 71292; (318) 322-6583.

**N Tech manure** handling pump with agitator, PTO driven, 4 way hyd., high press., low volume, 6" delivery on trailer, \$5000. R. Menard, Lafayette, 70508; (337) 857-0690.

**AMCO WTD8** disc harrow, completely rebuilt, new blades, bearings, tires & paint, excel. cond., \$4200. Emily Miller, Arnaudville, 70512; (337) 662-5037 after 6 PM.

**IH 622** cotton picker, \$2000; IH 550, 5 bottom mold board plow, 3 pt. hitch, \$550. Clyde Burt, Benton, 71006; (318) 965-0235.

**Case 850** E bulldozer, 6 way blade, ROPS, LGP, excel. cond., \$32,000. Wallace Nichols, Lake Charles, 70611; (337) 540-6759.

**504-F Vermeer** bailer, rd. bales, 4'x 5', good cond. with new elec. tie system, \$4000. C. O'Neill, Holden, 70744; (225) 777-4415.

**894A JD** hay rake, needs repairs, \$350. Ted Paul, Deville, 71328; (318) 466-5512.

**Hydraulic Sideboom** TD, fits 450 or larger dozer, \$3500. Morris Pitre,

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Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-7289.

**JD 450D** bulldozer, 6 way blade, ROPS & limb risers with pin on rack, \$20,000; new Fresco Fire plow hitch for 4500, \$1400. Leslie Ponder, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-4378.

**Super C** trac., perfect shape, \$1500; 5' bushhog grass cutter, no rust, \$275; 6' pull type disk, \$150. Cyril Porche, Oak Ridge, 71264; (318) 728-2605.

**JD 590D** excavator, 42" & 30" buckets, excel. cond. with new JD undercarriage, \$45,000. Cheryl Bordelon, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 468-4404.

**Ferguson** Ditching Devil, \$495; 6 row Barrentine harrow, \$200; 6 row Chattanooga crop maker cultivator, \$475. Michael Bradley, Transylvania, 71286; (318) 552-7718.

**NH 853** rd. baler, completely rebuilt, new chains, sprockets, bearings, idlers & elec. tying system, \$5000. Ryan Primeaux, Erath, 70533; (337) 937-9983.

**IH 8** row 186 Hill Drop planter, \$800; Forest City 8 row folding hipper with markers, \$1000. Billie Burt, Benton, 71006; (318) 965-0235.

**'85 5545** Heston rd. baler, barn kept, excel. cond., used last season, \$4500. Larry Richard, Bell City, 70630; (337) 598-2373 or (337) 438-7260, pager.

**'00 JD 5210** 4-wheel drive trac., sync. shuttle trans., rear dual remotes. MX6 JD bushhog, 80 hrs., \$22,500. Mike Richardson, St. Amant, 70774; (225) 675-8879 or (225) 445-2453.

**(2) 7720** JD combines, 20' & 18' headers, in dhed, \$15,000 or trade for cattle. Ulysse Simon, Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-3826.

**(2) 7720 JD** combines with headers, field ready, harvested rice in '01, custom made C/G elevator, \$12,000/both. Tim Smith, Oberlin, 70655; (337) 639-4930 or (337) 224-2730.

**12' Land** Leveler with hyd. lift and harrow, factory made, used very little, \$1000. Jimmy Henry, Bernice, 71222; (318) 285-7427.

**IH 4 row** Middlebuster, \$5000; IH 4 row rotary hoe, \$750; Liliston 4 row cult., \$700. Syd Burt, Benton, 71006; (318) 965-0235.

**16' Rayne** Plane water leveler, like new, \$3500; 21' IH 475 disc, excel. cond., \$2000. Larry Miller, Church Point, 70525; (337) 684-2754.

**Woods 120** 10' mower, good operating cond., \$850. Norman Neames, Baton Rouge, 70814; (225) 275-5200.

**'94 Ford L-9000** trac., single axle, 300 Cummings, 7 speed, new rubber, excel. cond., \$10,000. Joseph Pieri, Folsom, 70437; (504) 832-0885 or (504) 628-5361.

**Kubota** L2250 diesel, 22 hp, turf tires, shuttle shift, canopy, excel. cond., \$7500; JD 4020 row crop, new front tires, good paint, runs & looks good, \$8500. Molly Anderson, Elizabeth, 70775; (318) 634-3408.

**444 Int.** diesel, 40 hp, new front tires & rims, good paint, excel. cond., \$5500. Gray Anderson, Elizabeth, 70775; (318) 634-3408.

**Ferguson** TO-20, runs great



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good tires & wheels, 5' bushhog, fair cond., \$1800/both. Jack Baham, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-3069.

**JD 2640**, w/canopy, '82 model, remote hyd., 1400 hrs., needs some work, \$4,000; '54 Case trac., gas, needs tires, \$1100. N. Basco, Alexandria, 71303; (318) 442-6180.

**JD 214T** sq. hay baler, working cond., stored under a roof, \$1000. Hebert Bell, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-7063.

**Wanted:** Frontend loader to fit IH 1066 tractor. Ricky Juneau, Hessmer, 71341; (318) 563-8478.

**Wanted:** JD 350 dozer, gas or diesel in repairable cond. Webster Dauzat, Marksville, 71351; (318) 253-6108.

**Wanted:** Side delivery rake in good cond., JD, NH or Int. Lee Gremillion, Ventress, 70783; (225) 638-8135, after 6 p.m.

**Wanted:** 9' hay cutter, Kuhn or Krone type & 15' bushhog. Fred Lucky, Bossier, Bossier, 71112; (318) 747-1873.

**Wanted:** Front & rear cultivators for Farmall 130, single pt. hitch row builder for same. Bob McCormick, Covington, 70435; (985) 893-6861.

**Wanted:** Good running tractor to swap for calves or Arabian stallion. Henderson Tyndall, Leesville, 71446; (337) 537-7777.

**Wanted:** Int. 140/130 Super A for parts or to rebuild. Paul Zeringue, Hahnville, 70057; (985) 783-6576.

**Wanted:** 12' or 14' wide disc, field ready. Calvin Cormier, Scott, 70583; (337) 896-4127.

**Wanted:** JD High Crop for parts, any 2 cylinder or 4010 thru 4020. Larry Leger, Duson, 70529; (337) 873-8245.

**Wanted:** Chipper/shredder, 8 or 10 hp, cheap, repairable or needing eng.; p/s unit for Ford 600, complete or repairable. Carroll Reeves, Branch, 70516; (337) 788-1269.

**Wanted:** 15' Bushhog clipper; 15' series clipper for parts. J. Ristroph, Plaquemine, 70764; (225) 687-4949.

**Wanted:** Category 1, center mound ditching machine in good cond. Michael Rivoire, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-3129, leave msg.

**Wanted:** Ford 515 cycle mower for parts, need gear box. J. Tucker, Spearsville, 71277; (318) 986-5628.

TRAILERS, WAGONS & EQUIPMENT

**Wagon**, 20'x 10' steel bed, H.D., very good cond., \$1000. John Boudreaux, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-6743.

**Ponderosa** 2 horse gooseneck, barn kept, extra tall & wide, dressing room, saddle racks, elec. outlets in & out, screen door, \$5000. L. Kurz, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-0555.

**16' Bumper** pull WW stock trailer, all metal, minimum rust, needs new floor, \$600. Douglas Madden, Saline, 71070; (318) 576-3570.

**Gooseneck** trailer frame, 30'L, 14" I-beam, neck & dovetail de-

tached, no axles, \$1000. Robby McGrew, West Monroe, 71292; (318) 398-9895.

**Rd. bale** hay trailers, self-dumping, unloads all bales at once, gooseneck, bumper pull avail., \$1995-\$3995. Alvin Rachal, Ville Platte, 70586; (337) 363-6641 or (337) 299-4635.

**Hatfield trailer**, 4'x 8' tilt bed with steel mesh floor, 12" wheels with spare rim & tire, \$400. Clarence Abadie, Tickfaw, 70466; (985) 419-8893.

**'97 WW 3** horse slant, white with tack room, great shape, \$3500. Ricky Boudreaux, Carencro, 70520; (337) 896-5376.

**35 Cotton** trailers, 8'- 10' wide; 24'- 40' long, for hauling hay or storing crawfish traps, del. avail., \$500-\$1450. T. Enright, Sicily Island, 71368; (318) 389-5395.

**'90 WW** gooseneck 4 horse stock trailer, straight load with center gate, hard top, good floor, \$1000. Charles Haddad, Lafayette, 70507; (337) 896-7509.

**'98 CM 2** horse bumper, 7' high, extra width & length, perfect cond., no rust, garage kept, used little, \$3000. Hank Mentz, Covington, 70435; (985) 892-4506.

**'92 Featherlite** 6 horse with rear tack, mid tack, 4' dressing room, needs minor repairs, \$16,000. Melissa Miller, Washington, 70589; (337) 826-5259 or (337) 271-4128.

**'01 WW 3** horse slant, load alum. trailer, \$9000. John O'Neal, Lake Charles, 70615; (337) 433-1856.

**(2) Warehouse** wagons, \$75/ each. Alex Prejean, Scott, 70583; (337) 896-6115.

**(2) 32'x 8'x 6'** cotton trailers, \$495/ea.; 40'x 8'x 6' cotton trailer, \$425. A. Bradley, Transylvania, 71286; (318) 552-6265.

**Used Dugan** cattle trailer, 20', 1 cut gate, \$1200. Patsy Huftman, Cloutierville, 71416; (318) 379-2382.

**Stock trailer**, 16' x 6' x 6.6' sliding gate, treated flooring, heavy axles, no rust, \$4100. R. LaBorde, Hessmer, 71341; (318) 563-4566.

**(2) Axles** with springs & connecting link to build 7000 lb. tandem trailer, includes 6 tires & wheels, \$200/all. John Mattox, Crowley, 70526; (337) 783-2064.

**Metal cattle** trailer, 6½' x 13', bumper pull, hvy. duty, tandem axles, needs work, \$250. W. Roberts, Hornbeck, 71439; (318) 565-4501.

**Covered wagon** built on JD undercarriage, partitions, phone, light & radio connections, 2 mules, harness, winch, 26' gooseneck, \$7000. J. Phillips, St. Amant, 70774; (225) 675-8545.

**'01 Exiss SS400** GN 4 horse slant, all alum., loaded with options, custom LQ, \$21,500. Bryan Simmons, Baker, 70714; (225) 774-5996 or (225) 373-9039.

**'96 Gooseneck** trailer ordered special, hauls 3 mules & wagon, new winch & ramps, gray, \$4500. Robert Whiddon, Walker, 70785; (225) 664-3778.

**'99 Sundowner** GN3 horse slant w/custom weekend living pkg., \$19,500. Jimmy Christmas, Bastrop, 71220; (318) 281-3765.

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**Wanted:** Cotton trailer, up to 40' long, good cond. or better, prefer Acadiana area. Aaron Guilbeau, Lafayette, 70502; (337) 896-9498 or fax (337) 896-0066.

FARM TRUCKS & RELATED PARTS

**'01 Chevy** ext. cab, 1 ton dually, 8.1 liter gas eng., white, blk. cloth seats, 12,000 miles, warranty, \$25,000. David Grass, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-3522.

**'94 Dodge** 3500 Cummins diesel, 5 speed, gooseneck hook-ups, 280,000 miles, great shape, \$6500. Floyd Pitzer, Franklinton, 70438; (985) 839-4802.

**'88 Ford** 1 ton truck LWB, 4 wheel drive, auto, 12' flatbed, good condition, \$3000. U. Bordelon, Mansura, 71350; (318) 253-5190.

**'66 Ford** F600 flatbed dump, new tires, 80,000 original miles, extra clean, \$5000. Milton Clouatre, Gonzales, 70737; (225) 675-5311.

**'86 GMC** Pickup, \$2000; '90 Chevy ¾ ton pickup, \$4500. S. Denton, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-4504.

**'98 Chevy** ¾ ton extended cab, 5 speed, 350 eng., 84,000 miles, \$13,500. Keith Ganey, Trout, 71371; (318) 992-4245.

**'96 Dodge** Ram 2500 Cummins diesel, excel. cond., loaded, extra cab, 8' bed, complete towing pkg. & gooseneck, \$10,500. Bernie Humphries, Baker, 70714; (225) 774-3919.

**'91 Ford** F700 winch truck with gin poles, rolling tail board, 6.6 liter diesel, 112,000 miles, new tires, \$16,000. Morris Pitre, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-7289.

**'00 Chevy** 3500 crew cab dually, 1 owner, 28,000 miles, loaded, V8 eng., mint cond., \$21,500. Frank Price, Morgan City, 70380; (985) 385-0730. or [jelprice@earthlink.net](mailto:jelprice@earthlink.net).

**'94 Chevy** Silverado, diesel, 1 ton, crew cab, dually, 130K, 5 speed, excel. cond., never pulled or hauled, extras, \$9995. Paul Willson, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 229-2524.

**'89 Chevy** ¾ ton crew cab, 350V-8, auto, good cond., \$2300; '85 Freightliner, Cat eng., wet kit for dump trailer, \$6800. R. Byone, Cloutierville, 71416; (318) 379-0147.

**'94 Dodge** Ram 1500, V8 engine, auto trans., AM/FM cass., \$5000. Herbert Celestine, Opelousas, 70571; (337) 948-8256.

**'99 Ford F-350** heavy duty diesel, 6 speed trans., a/c, dual alloy wheels, 80,000 miles, fact. Warranty, \$23,900. Lambert Courville, Washington, 70589; (337) 351-0848.

**'88 Freightliner**, 350 Cummins, 9 speed trans., winch, \$8500; '83 Nut All Low Boy trailer, \$8500 or \$16,000/both. Charles Holy, Iota, 70543; (337) 779-3353 or (337) 779-3516.

**'97 Ford F-350** crew cab conversion pickup, excellent pkg., leather, p/s, 5 speed, extras, very clean, \$18,850. Kevin Simpson, Prairieville, 70769; (225) 673-4382.

**Chevy '01** ext. cab 1 ton dually, 8.1 liter gas eng., white, black cloth seats, 12,000 miles, warranty, \$25,000. David Grass, Folsom, 70437; (985) 796-3522.

**'91 Int.** 811 truck, 270 hp with trailer, \$14,000. Alexander Pratt, St. Martinville, 70582; (337) 394-6695.

**Ring & pinion** gears for 410 rear end, fits Ford F-250 from '86 to '97, low mileage, \$150. Denny Primeaux, Iowa, 70647; (337) 477-3648.

**'91 Ford** diesel 450, 1 ton, flatbed, steel sides, good tires & gears, farm or job truck, \$7500. Elton Bernard, Marrero, 70072; (504) 341-9911 or (318) 876-3315.

**'96 Chevy** Silverado 4x4, V8 eng., auto trans, a/c, power windows & locks, tilt, cruise, CD player, \$9500. Aaron Courvelle, Opelousas, 70570; (800) 360-4642.

**'99 Chevy** ext. cab, 4x4 V8 eng., auto trans, vinyl floors, 40,000 miles, \$17,800. Cindy Klein, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 948-8255.

**'69 GMC** 5500 with good metal grain bed, excel. tires, \$2250. Steve Rabalais, Cottonport, 71327; (318) 876-3304.

**Wanted:** Set of dual wheels for '89 Dodge single wheel 1 ton. Robert Longmire, Natches, MS 39120; (601) 442-2835.

**Wanted:** Good farm truck, 1 ton Dodge, very reasonable or swap for Arabian Stallion or calves. Henderson Tyndall, Leesville, 71446; (337) 537-7777.

**Wanted:** Small cream separator & cheese press in good condition. Kathy Matte, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-7130.

**Wanted:** (2) Dolly wheels, outside diameter, 6" to 10". S. Poole, DeRidder, 70634; (337) 462-0946.

**Wanted:** Used cattle feeder with 2 axles and tires, all in good cond. Harry Latiolais, Carencro, 70520; (337) 234-1981.

**Wanted:** Squeeze chute, working cond., set of 2000-2500 lb. scales to weigh cattle. Michael LeDoux, Rayne, 70578; (337) 334-2820.

LIVESTOCK & FARM SUPPLIES

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**Wanted:** 4 or 6 horse walker within 100 miles of Opelousas. Glen Leger, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 948-3344 or (337) 945-5158.

**Taylor-Wharton** 34HC Artificial Insemination tank, like new, \$500 or trade for farm equipment. Pat Prather, Baton Rouge, 70816; (225) 235-5633.

**Galvanized**, 5'x 10' new portable panels, round pens, 30', \$450/1; 60', \$900/1; milk bottles & nipples, \$2/ 1. Larry Duhon, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-2726.

**Commercial** cooler ideal for crawfish or bait, 2 dbl. sliding doors & 6'x 6½'x 2½' deep, very good running cond., \$550. Carl Higginbotham, Church Point, 70525; (337) 684-2669.

**50 Gallon** fan sprayer with 6 cyl. eng., fan needs work, eng. recently rebuilt, factory tires & wheels, \$950. Stella Jones, Braithwaite, 70040; (504) 682-3788.

**Heartwood** Comm. band saw, 2 way cut, 6" dbl. edge blade, 80 hp, Perkins tandem axles, 500 hrs., \$35,000. Herbert Lejeune, Oakdale, 71463; (337) 639-2953.

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**I-Beam**, hvy. duty, (2) 14'6" long x 14" wide x 31" high, rivet & plated together, \$1000; steel culvert, 8' diam., \$300. Robby McGrew, West Monroe, 71292; (318) 398-9895.

**Saddle**, 16"-16½", Steubben Siegfried, all purpose, like new, \$650. Arlene McPherson, Mandeville, 70448; (985) 674-0703.

**Panels**, galv., 10' light duty, \$40/ 1; reg. duty, \$50/1; rd. pens, 40', \$545 & \$675; 60', \$750 & \$970; hvy. duty panels, \$65. Michael Passman, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-5094.

**Portable milking** machine, all stainless steel, DeLaval style claw & bucket, high vacuum pump, \$800. M. Perry, Jennings, 70546; (337) 824-6950.

**500 gal.** fuel tank, \$190. Alexander Pratt, St. Martinville, 70582; (337) 394-6695.

**Mechanical** cattle scale by Paul Livestock Co., good cond., \$1200. Myer Bishop, St. Amant, 70774; (225) 698-3164.

**2 Roping** saddles and tack, \$1000. Ricky Boudreaux, Carencro, 70520; (337) 886-0555.

**Miller Millermatic** 185 wire welder, still under warranty, \$900. T. Chandler, Pine Grove, 70453; (225) 777-4783.

**Roping saddle**, wide stirrups, bloanket, bridle and tie down, \$325. Cecil Edmiston, Choudrant, 71227; (318) 768-2420.

**55 gal.** plastic barrels with lides, 2 screw in tops, \$15/ea.; \$10/ea. for 5 or more. John O'Brian, Amite, 70422; (985) 748-9348 day, (985) 748-9467 evenings.

**Head gate**, all metal, hvy. duty, \$85. Worth Roberts, Hornbeck, 71439; (318) 565-4501.

**Electric milking** machine with stainless steel tank, like new, used 2 months, \$1000. Pervis Suire, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 642-5491.

**(3) 85 gal.** chem. tanks, \$30/ea. or \$85/all; 110 gal. chem. tank, \$45; 5' pasture cutter, \$275; 6 row Afco flame cult., \$250. A. Bradley, Transylvania, 71286; (318) 552-6265.

**55 gal. white** plastic drums, no chemicals, \$8/1. Calvin Cormier, Scott, 70583; (337) 896-4127.

**Delco hot** water pressure washer; Briggs small pressure washer, 3 hp & Steam Jenny steam cleaner, \$400/all 3. Micky Daigle, Branch, 70516; (337) 684-6674.

**Tubing**, 2-3/8", 75¢/ft.; 2-7/8", 80¢/ft.; 3-1/2", 90¢/ft.; casing, 7", \$5/ft.; 8-5/8", \$6/ft. Trey Denton, Jena, 71342; (318) 992-4504.

**Coffing** 3 ton lever operated chain hoist, \$125. Sarah Goudeau, Melville, 71353; (337) 623-4710.

**Chick slide** feeders, \$2/1; chick hanging feeder, \$10/1; Viper AN90 elec. fence box with solar panel, \$130. Stefanie Duhon, Abbeville, 70510; (337) 893-2726.

**Casing**, 9-7/8" good for drainage, \$4/ft., you load, or will trade for calves. Johnny Guidry, Duson, 70529; (337) 233-5480.

**55 gal.** drums, metal, \$15/ea.; plastic, \$15/ea.; plastic with lids, \$25/ea., no chemicals. Roy Jeanfreau, Franklinton, 70438; (985) 848-2165.

**4-53 Detroit** diesel rebuilt power unit, \$3000; submersible water well,

includes casing & pipe, 15 hp, \$1000. Mike Jude, Branch, 70516; (337) 684-6674.

**16' Woodmizer**mill, 24 hp, elec. set & feed, forklift, 15' planter, \$13,000. P. Kelley, Sikes, 71473; (318) 628-2315.

**(12) 36" fans**, some direct drive, some indirect, \$25/ea. Douglas Madden, Saline, 71070; (318) 576-3570.

**(2) 8'x 16'** steel cattle guards, \$250 or \$150/1. C. McDonald, Pitkin, 70656; (318) 358-5434.

**15½" Original** Bob Marshall sports saddle, light oil, 6 mos. old, excel. cond., \$850. Lisa Melancon, Bush, 70431; (985) 893-0573 after 6 p.m.

**3 Phase** electrical motors, 10-200 hp, \$5/per hp; 6"- 22" pipe, \$2.50/ft-up; 5 horsepowerHonda water pump with hoses, \$500. Morris Pitre, Opelousas, 70570; (337) 543-7289.

**Tomato grading** table, 4' feeder belt, washer, sponge dryer, 5' incline insp. table, 4 sizes, 24" wide belt, \$2800. Scott Ryan, Shreveport, 71107; (318) 221-0195.

**C167 Gordon**Smith air compressor, 100 CFM, 302 Ford engine, \$1200. George Snyder, St. Amant, 70774; (504) 536-2380.

**Saf-T-Mill** horse treadmill, great cond., hardly used, \$5000. Veronica Songe, Raceland, 70394; (985) 537-0850.

**Square galv.** tubing, 7/8"x 7/8", 30¢/ft.; 2"x 3", 75¢/ft.; 2-3/8" drill stem, \$23/ea.; 2-7/8" drill stem, \$27/ea. Colton Terrell, Kentwood, 70444; (985) 514-0722.

## Hummingbird Gardens add interest to home landscapes

Planting flowers that attract hummingbirds can add to your home landscape, says LSU AgCenter horticulturist Dr. Allen Owings.

"Many of us have begun planting specific flowering plants, trees and shrubs to attract wildlife," Owings says, adding, "One of the most popular gardening themes now is planting flowers to attract hummingbirds.

To attract hummingbirds to your garden, provide feeders and select plants that will bear the bird's favorite flowers, Owings says,

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## It's Beef Month in Louisiana

March is Beef Month in Louisiana. The month long promotion is designed for consumer education on the availability of beef in the supermarkets and to encourage the sale of beef products.

Beef is a safe and delicious form of protein with iron and minerals necessary for the production of healthy bodies. The American Heart Association recommends eating beef in moderation and Louisiana cattlemen have become committed to raising a meat animal that is leaner .In addition , the Beef Month promotion focuses on food safety issues, economics of cattle production, the impact of the industry on the state's economy and diet and health issues.

The Beef Month Tour Group will be traveling throughout the state promoting it's message "Beef....it's what's for dinner."



Brett Wicke of Grand Lake, the daughter of Gary Wicke and Cindy Wicke, poses with her crown and banner after being named 2002 Louisiana Cattleman's Association Queen. Both her parents and her grandparents are in the cattle business. Brett is 17 years old and is attending Grand Lake High School.



according to the LSU AgCenter horticulturist.

Plants to include in a hummingbird garden are azalea, lantana, mimosa, buckeye, trumpet vine, cypress vine, morning glory, cardinal flower, impatiens, perennial salvia, annual salvia, hosta, four o'clocks and monarda.

"Hummingbirds get most of their nutrition from nectar," Owings says, adding, however, "If you have a feeder, provide sugar water as another sources of energy." Hummingbirds also eat insects and spiders.

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Lagniappe Cookery...

Louisiana Beef Recipes

*Stuffed French Bread*  
\*2 loaves French bread  
\*8 ounces bulk pork sausage  
8 ounces ground sirloin  
\*1 large onion, diced  
\*1 egg  
Heavy cream, several tablespoons  
\*1 tablespoon Dijon mustard  
\*Salt and freshly ground pepper to taste  
3 tablespoons butter, melted  
\*1/3 cup Dijon mustard  
Preheat oven to 400°. Cut off the ends of the bread loaves and, using a long serrated knife, hollow out the loaves and place the inside of the loaves into a food processor. Process the bread to fine crumbs and reserve.  
Heat the sausage in a large skillet over medium heat, stirring, just until browned. Add the beef and onion. Cook until the beef is lightly browned, stirring to breakup any large pieces. Cool the meat mixture briefly, then add the egg, mustard, reserved bread crumbs and seasoning. Spoon the mixture into the hollowed out bread, packing tightly. Brush the loaves with the melted butter, wrap in separate

pieces of foil, leaving a large opening at the top of each loaf. Place the loaves on a cookie sheet and bake for 15-20 minutes. Serve immediately, or if serving at a later time, cool in the refrigerator. When cool, wrap the loves tightly in foil and freeze. To serve, partially thaw the loaves in the refrigerator before slicing into 3/4 inch pieces. Place the partially thawed slices on a cookie sheet and heat at 400°, turning once until golden brown. Thin the Dijon mustard with cream until it reaches a consistency of heavy cream. Serve the bread slices with a small portion of the mustard mixture. Makes 40 - 50 slices.

*Quesadillias*  
1 pound ground beef  
\*1 package Taco Seasoning  
\*1 large ripe tomato, diced  
Shredded lettuce  
Grated Cheddar cheese  
Soft Flour tortilla shells  
\*Picante Sauce, if desired  
Brown ground beef, add taco seasoning. Place taco meat on flour tortillas. Add cheese, lettuce &

diced tomatoes. Roll and eat like a burrito. Add Picante sauce, if desired.

*Louisiana Beef Chimichangas*  
2 pounds beef stew meat  
½ cups water  
\*2 cloves garlic, minced  
\*2 tablespoons chili powder  
\*1 tablespoon vinegar  
2 teaspoons dried oregano, crushed  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon cumin  
\*1/8 teaspoon pepper  
12 Flour tortillas (10-inch)  
\*Vegetable oil for frying  
2 cups shredded lettuce  
2 cups Guacamole

In medium saucepan combine meat, water, garlic, chili powder, vinegar, oregano, salt, cumin, and pepper. Bring to boiling. Cover, reduce heat and simmer about 2 hours or till meat is very tender. Uncover and boil rapidly about 15 minutes or until water has almost evaporated. Watch closely and stir near end of cooking time so meat doesn't stick. Remove from heat. Using 2 forks, shred meat very fine. Meanwhile,

wrap stack of tortillas in foil; heat in 350° oven for 15 minutes. Spoon about ¼ cup meat mixture onto each tortilla, near one edge. Fold edge nearest filling up and over filling just till mixture is covered. Fold in the two sides envelope fashion, then roll up. Fasten with wooden pick, if needed. In heavy skillet or saucepan fry filled tortillas in 2-inch hot vegetable oil about 1 minute on each side or till golden brown. Drain on paper toweling. Keep warm in 300° oven while frying remaining chimichangas. Garnish with lettuce and guacamole. Makes 12.

*Priest's Lunch*  
3 pound beef brisket, cubed  
\*4 potatoes, peeled, diced  
1 cup diced celery  
\*8 small white onions  
\*3 tomatoes, quartered  
\*4 tablespoons chopped parsley  
\*3 cloves garlic, minced  
\*1 teaspoon salt  
\*2 tablespoons paprika  
\*4 bay leaves  
12 whole peppercorns  
2 cans beef consomme

Combine all ingredients with 2½ consomme cans of water in deep casserole. Cover tightly. Bake at 350° for 2½ hours.

*Bourbon Street Po-Boys*  
\*6 tablespoons butter or margarine  
6 tablespoons flour  
\*1 large onion, sliced  
\*1 green bell pepper, small, sliced  
\*2 cups Beef broth  
\*1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce  
\*¾ teaspoon Tobasco sauce  
\*½ teaspoon Thyme, crumbled  
\*1 pound Cajun style roast beef, thinly sliced  
4 Hero rolls  
Melt butter in medium saucepan; stir in flour. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly until flour browns, about 4 minutes. Add onion and bell pepper. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, about 5 minutes; gradually stir in broth. Add Worcestershire sauce, Tobasco and thyme; stir constantly until mixture boils and thickens. Cut a thin slice from top of each roll; scoop out soft insides. Arrange meat on each roll; spoon \*Louisiana Agricultural Prodcucts

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**March 10**  
The Terrebonne Livestock Association will host Open horse shows at the Houma-Airbase arena on Sunday March 10th and March 17th. The show will begin at 9:00 a.m. For more information, contact Veronica Songe at (225) 265-8663 or (985) 537-0850.

**March 16 - 17**  
The LA. American Saddlebred Horse Association will hold a horse show at Serenity Farms in Folsom, LA. For more information contact Hallie or Perry at (985) 796-0760.

**March 19**  
Harry Nakoa, the Hawaiian Horseman, will return to Louisiana to present an educational horse clinic on Tuesday, March 19, 2002, at 6:00 p.m. at the Sugarena in New Iberia, La. Topics will include colt starting basics, riding tips for better control and performance, and problem solving. Cost will be \$15 per person. Call Diana Boudreaux at 337-893-6743 for more details.

**March 23**  
The 2002 Youth Rodeo Series will be held on March 23rd at the Kinchens indoor arena 75912 Hwy. 1053, Kentwood, LA. beginning at 7:00 p.m. For more information, contact Henry Kinchen at (985) 229-5070 or (504) 514-0528.

**March 24**  
St. Tammany Horsemans Asso. will hold its first 2002 Double Pointed Horse show on March 24th at Covington Fairgrounds, off Hwy. 190 in Covington, LA. For more information, contact Mary at (985) 892-8745.